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IMPEACHMENT.

Friends of Conviction Still Confident of Success.

They Claim the Second and Eleventh Articles as Sure to Carry.

Correspondence Between Senator Henderson and His Constituents.

Sudden Illness of Senators Grimes and Conkling.

Colonel Forney on the Situation.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 13.

SEPTEMBERS

New York and interest centers on impeachment. There has been a great deal of excitement here to-day, and the friends of conviction, regarding the several articles in the light of party tests, are rejoiced. Only two or three feel sure of both the second and eleventh articles are regarded as certain. Republicans are confident of votes enough for conviction on the eleventh article, and would vote against the other articles if they could carry the eleventh.

DEMOCRATS.

Nobody has yet committed himself against the articles, though there is no authority for saying that he will support it.

FOWLER, OF TENNESSEE.

Tennessee men, and others, differ with a good deal of vigor. He has deserted the Republican party. An opinion has been prevalent for some time that impeachment by Hawkins, of Tennessee, the only member of that delegation who voted against impeachment. Only a few weeks since, Fowler made a long speech on reconstruction in a letter of the House, in which he took the ground precisely opposite to that President John-

SILENCE OF SENATORS.

Another significant feature is the report in favor of three Senators—Howard, Conkling and Grimes. The first two voted at all stages of the impeachment trial, and Grimes was absent. In the case of Howard and Conkling the absence was excused on special attendance. Howard was confined to his room with a severe attack of sickness, and Conkling was detained by the illness of his wife. Both Senators have been alive to the great importance of their votes, and their friends have been active in their behalf. They have spent a great deal of time in consultation with Republican and Democratic Senators, and have been assiduous in their attentions to every Senator who was sick that, considering the friendly relations which existed between them and Senator Grimes and fellow-citizens, they would be expected to pair off with him, or with a paralytic shock. Inquiry developed the fact that the report itself was false, and to a large extent unfounded. He was not sick, and had no two or three days ago his indisposition, occasioned no trouble to apothecaries. He was at the Senate Chamber that he voted on the question of adjournment from the Capitol to his residence. He was not sick enough to be absent from the Senate Chamber that he voted on anything particular about it. All this seems to call on him at 6 o'clock showed that he was not sick. On the contrary, he was in excellent health and with them as usual, and complained of but a slight indisposition in his right arm

THE HOWLING WILL CAVE

A TERRIBLE CYCLONE.

POULTRY.

Meeting of the Cook County Association.

AN IMPORTANT PROJECT.

A HEAVY SPECULATION.

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

METHODIST.

CATHOLICISM.

PETTIT CARTRIDGE

METHODISM.

Bishop Ray's Account of the General Missionary Conference.

Farewell Remarks of the Canadian Delegates.

Reception of Mr. Pardee—Election of Superintendents—Union of the Church—Invitations Received—Wicked Rulers.

Resolutions of the Southern Work and Aid for Southern Churches.

Resolutions Urging the Impeachment of the President.

Speeches of Drs. Curry, Haven and Shaw—The Resolutions Tabled—A Day of Humiliation and Prayer Ordered.

The Methodist Episcopal Conference met at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, Bishop Kingsley in the chair.

The devotional exercises were led by the Rev. W. F. Pearne.

The journal of the previous meeting was read, and, when corrected, was duly approved.

Mr. Samuel Palmer was allowed permission to address the Conference on the subject of the resolutions of the previous morning, and he would yes.

Mr. Pardee—I move that Mr. Palmer and a committee of one additional be appointed to introduce the Hon. Mr. Pardee, of the Canadian Parliament, to the Conference.

Mr. Palmer—I would state that each of the Southern committees be appointed on the stand by request.

The motion was carried.

Mr. Palmer moved that the reception of the delegates of the Canadian Wesleyan Church take place immediately after that of Dr. Punshon.

The motion was carried.

On motion, those who were absent on the day when the resolutions on the admission of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church, Central Ohio Conference, were voted on, were allowed to record their votes, and Mr. Wentworth voted in the affirmative, and Mr. Harris, of Virginia, and Mr. Hamilton, of Missouri, in the negative.

Dr. Curry, of Missouri, presented the resolutions of the Committee on Conference Boundaries, which were referred to the Committee on Conference Boundaries.

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THE TRIBUNE.
SUNDAY, MAY 15, 1870.

THE CITY.

WILD BOY THIEF.—Benny Baker, alias Isabel, alias Wild Boy, alias Charley, alias Hawkins, alias Brown, alias Jones, alias Smith, the boy who has figured in the Police Court for the last two years, was arraigned before Justice Summerfield yesterday morning, charged with stealing a watch from the person of Mr. Wm. Hoffman, at the corner of Randolph and Dearborn streets, on the 7th inst. The boy was identified by Mr. Hoffman, and was committed to the Bridewell in default of bail.

THE CITY RAILWAY.—The entire line of track of the State street railway north of Twelfth street is being rebuilt with a heavier and more durable rail than the one formerly in use. The work is being pushed by the Union Railway Company of the city.

SUDDEN DEATH.—P. F. Hinds, formerly a resident of this city, but for the past few years engaged in the lumber business at Muskegon, Mich., was found dead in his dwelling in that place on Thursday last, under circumstances which indicate suicide. He is supposed to have committed suicide.

ASSAULT.—Frank Rogers or Rogers—A man named Dubbleday, who was yesterday afternoon arraigned before Commissioner Bigelow for assaulting Officer Hall, on the 7th inst., was admitted to bail for further hearing to-day.

THIRTEENTH LECTURE.—Rev. J. D. Wilson will lecture this evening, at the Seventh Presbyterian Church, corner of Halsted and Hawthorne streets. Phalen Lodge of Good Templars will open the meeting by the installation of their officers. The lecture is free to all.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, DOUGLAS PARK.—The members of the congregation of St. John's Church are requested to meet at the church this evening at a quarter past eight o'clock, to complete the arrangements for the strawberry festival at Crosby's Music Hall next week.

FALSE REPRESENTATIONS.—Thomas Quinlan came before Justice Summerfield, yesterday morning, charged with having collected money in the name of Mr. Dunne, Democratic candidate for Sheriff. He was committed to the Bridewell in default of bail, and will be tried in the Criminal Court for that offense.

THE KANSAS PACIFIC RAILROAD.—The resolutions offered yesterday in the House by Mr. Scofield, urging the Senators and Representatives from this State to give aid to the Union Pacific Railroad Company, and to the Kansas Pacific Railway Bonus, &c., were adopted.

A SWINDLER IN CUSTODY.—William Whitcomb, who, assuming that title, swindled parties in this city out of twenty or thirty thousand dollars, was recently arrested in Cincinnati, by virtue of a letter from Mr. Gerhardt, of the United States. He has been examined and held for trial.

THIRTEEN SERVANT.—Mary Ann Mallon was arraigned as the Police Court yesterday morning, upon the charge of pocketing articles intrusted to her personal keeping by Julius Hoffman. She was held in $50 bail for a further hearing this morning, on account of the illness of the prosecuting witness.

THIRD PERSECUTION.—Jacob Lesch, proprietor of the Metropolitan, put in an appearance before United States Commissioner Bigelow yesterday, charged with issuing false and fraudulent Due Bills, and delivering the same to Peter Schuttler, with intent to defraud the latter out of $1,000 in money.

SALE OF FANCY GOODS.—Childs Brothers, at No. 51 State street, will have, at half-past ten o'clock this morning, a special sale of fancy goods. These are all to be sold, without reserve, and an excellent opportunity is offered retail dealers to purchase at their own prices. Sale positive, and by order of assignee.

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LAY REPRESENTATION.—The Lay Representation Convention will meet at three o'clock this afternoon and eight o'clock to-night in the Clark street Methodist Episcopal Church. The first session will be closed Feb. 3rd, 1871, by Dr. L. W. Reed, Dr. G. H. Tilton, the Hon. C. C. Paris, of Peoria, and Dr. Jesse Peck, of Evanston, by invitation. All friends of the cause are invited to be present.

NEW RACES.—All persons who desire to commence in trot and run are advised to examine Wilmot's Feathering Gear, advertised on the second page of No. 20 Wilmot's sheet. These gears are built from specially formed iron, in simplicity and neatness of style unsurpassed. They are in use by all the fast and safe drivers in this vicinity, and by many of the best drivers in the country. Call and see them, or send for circular.

SECRETARY C. F. CHAMBERLAIN, whose name in connection with the Secretaryship of the Commissioners of Blackhawking has become quite familiar in this city, together with Rastatch, the right bower and trusted counselor of Spotted Tail, arrived at the Sherman House, from Portland, on Tuesday last. Rastatch and Secretary Lincoln's dentistry have been the subject of much comment, and the cause of no small amount of merriment. The evidences of the skill of the latter in the dentistry way, displayed in the mouth of the former, were unique.

CLOTHING SALE.—The sale of the 70th Parlor and Chamber sets, and fancy glassware, which has been going on at the rooms of Messrs. Oliver & Co., 70 and 72 State street, will be continued this morning at 10 o'clock. The goods are of the best quality, and will be sold to the highest bidder. Any article not satisfactory can be returned to the store.

THE NEWSBOYS' AID CLUBS OF CHICAGO.—The Secretaries of the Newsboys' Aid Clubs of Chicago, will hold a meeting at the Tremont House, on the 15th of December, 1867, purpose to hold a convention on the 20th instant, for the purpose of organizing a State Association, and to make such arrangements with the publishers, giving the control of the newsboys' trade to the Clubs, as to connect any other boy, the discharge of the duties of every Northwestern newsboy. The Secretary of the Chicago Club is Mr. Edward Hall, No. 56 Randolph street. All communications should be addressed to him. E. WILSON, Sec. of Chicago Newsboys' Aid Club.

A NEW MACHINE has recently been invented for grinding the cutters of reapers and mowers, which will be found a great saving of time and labor. A machine of this kind has been very much wanted by the agricultural community, as all cutters must be sent to the manufacturers to be ground, or else they must be hand ground, to conform to the form of the guards. The machine is so simple that any boy can run it. It is run by power, and will grind the cutters in a few minutes. Rights to manufacture, machines and sole agency for the Northwestern States can be had at 1,000 Lake street. Call and see the machine in operation.

PERSONAL.—Among the arrivals at the Sherman House, yesterday, were the following: New York: Hon. J. L. Pugh, New York; James Lloyd, New York; J. Taylor and wife, Boston; A. C. Ferguson, Cincinnati; C. W. A. Stevens, Cincinnati; G. W. A. Stevens, Cincinnati; Hon. Wm. Kellogg, Peoria; Hon. Jno. Wentworth, Chicago; Hon. Wm. B. Ogden, Chicago; Hon. Wm. Bross, Chicago; Hon. Thos. Hoyne, Chicago; Hon. Jno. Dean Caton, Ottawa; Hon. Jno. Wilson, Chicago; Hon. Jno. Van Arman, Chicago; Hon. Jno. Van Arman, Chicago; Hon. Jno. Van Arman